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In re application of:)
PHILIP E. EGGRERS et al.) Examiner: unassigned
Application No.: unassigned) Art Unit: unassigned
Filed: herewith)
For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR)
ELECTROSURGICAL MYOCARDIAL)
REVASCULARIZATION)
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Before substantive examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 1, line 9, please add "The present invention is a continuation of 08/753,227, filed November 22, 1996, ~~new US Patent No~~ 5,873,855,

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please delete claims 1-40 and add the following new claims 41-119.